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The Granite Boulder

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R. W. Starnes



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Our year of
MEMORIES *at...*



Granite Falls



ALMA MATER

To thee, ole Granite High School
Thy praises we'll ever sing.
We'll hold thy standards throughout
life,

And keep thy honor clean.
O, Mother of our learning
Long may thy presence be.
We'll pray to keep thy portals wide,
For all posterity.

this is our



year

The Annual Staff has in these few pages tried to capture some parts of the work, the play, the seriousness and the gaiety which have made our high school days those to be remembered. We hope that as you turn through the pages of the "Granite Boulder" in years to come, it will bring the joy of reminiscence to all who remember the Class of 1956.

We would like to thank all the merchants for their co-operation in making this annual possible. The association we have had with them has been a real pleasure.

With these things in mind we present to you the "Granite Boulder."



*We Fondly Dedicate This
Our 1956 Granite Boulder*



TO COACH DON KIRKPATRICK because he has an enviable record in the win column, because we appreciate his unselfish devotion and service, because we have been inspired by his fine example of friendship and sportsmanship but chiefly because we admire him.



Administration

Miss Mary Louise Cook -- Senior Advisor

Mr. Richard Starnes -- Principal

Mrs. L. E. Cagle -- Senior Advisor

FACULTY



Mr. R. W. Starnes
Lenoir Rhyne College
Principal



Miss Mary Louise Cook
Mars Hill College
Wake Forest College
French, English



Mrs. E. G. Cashion
Georgia State College
for Women
Science, Biology



Mrs. Ruby Bullard Carson
Furman University
University of N. C.
English



Miss Ruth Shannon Cox
Queens College
Home Economics



Mrs. L. E. Cagle
Appalachian State
Teachers College
Science, English



Mr. W. H. Corpening
North Carolina State College
Agriculture



Miss Peggy Brooks
Lenoir Rhyne College
Mathematics, Physical Ed.

FACULTY



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Appalachian State
Teachers College
Lenoir Rhyne College
Social Science, Coach



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Bowling Green College
of Commerce
Steed College of Technology
Commercial



Mr. Don Kirkpatrick
Lenoir Rhyne College
Physical Education,
Civics, Coach



Mrs. Colleen S. Starnes
Lenoir Rhyne College
Commercial



Mrs. Arden Raye
Lenoir Rhyne College
Business, Civics



Mrs. Gladys Starnes
Lenoir Rhyne College
Mathematics



Mr. Eugene Sigmon
Lenoir Rhyne College
Band



First Row: Rebecca Poovey, Betty Jean Spicer, Ruth Fulbright, Joan Melton, Lynn Cagle, Larry Teague. Second Row: Libby Kirby, Ned Payne, Mildred Starnes, Linda Cline, Jean Phillips, Charles Laney. Third Row: Rebecca Short, Jerry McIntosh, Kay Looper, Benny Brown, Brenda Baird.

STUDENT COUNCIL

Mrs. Cashion



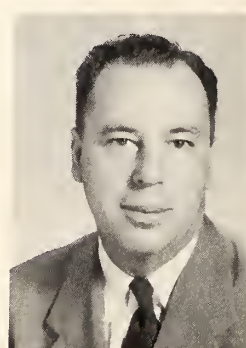
Advisor

Annie Sue Cline

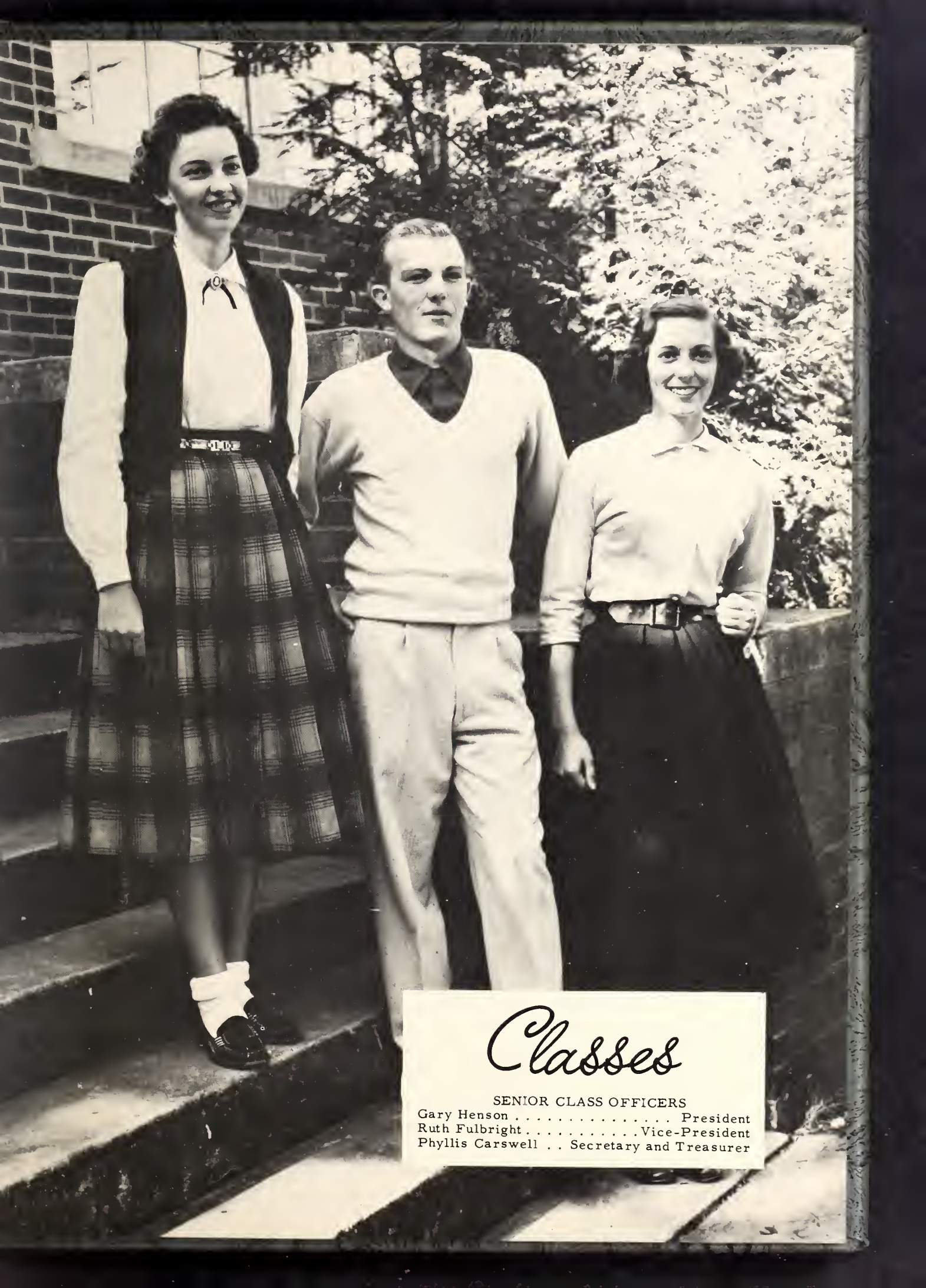


President

Mr. Starnes



Advisor



Classes

SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS

Gary Henson President
Ruth Fulbright Vice-President
Phyllis Carswell . . Secretary and Treasurer

SENIORS

GAIL ANNAS

Basketball 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2,4; Glee Club 3,4; Beta Club 3,4; A.Y. 1,2,3,4; Carolina Conference 1; Band Clinic 2; Junior Play 3.

JERRY ANNAS

4-H Club 1,2,3,4; A.Y. 1,2,3,4; Jr.-Sr. Prom Waiter 2; Football 3; Substitute Bus Driver 3,4; F.F.A. 2, 3,4.

NEY AUSTIN

Hudson High School 1; Football 1,2,3,4; Manager 2; Basketball 2,4; Manager 2; Monogram Club 3,4; A.Y. 3,4; Newspaper Staff 3,4; Junior Play 3.

WAYNE BOWMAN

A.Y. 1,2,3,4; Annual Staff 4; Junior Play 3; Homecoming Escort 4; 4-H Club 4.



CORA BUMGARNER

Glee Club 3; Jr. Play Usherette 3; A.Y. 2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Monogram 3,4.

JOHNNY CANUPP

A.Y. 2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Beta Club 2,3,4; J.V. Baseball 2; Marshal 3; Junior Play 3; Newspaper Staff 4; "Most Likely to Succeed" 4; Glee Club 4.

FLOYD CARRIGAN

A.Y. 4; F.F.A. 1; Oak Hill 1,2,3; Homecoming Escort 4.

J. R. CARPENTER

Substitute Bus Driver 3,4.



SENIORS

PHYLLIS CARSWELL

A.Y. 1,2,3,4; A.Y. Carolina Conference; Basketball 1,2,3,4, Captain 4; Monogram Club 3,4; Office Worker 3; Class Secretary and Treasurer 4; Annual Staff 2,3,4; Art Editor 4; Newspaper Staff 3,4; A.Y. Editor 4; Glee Club 3; Fashion Follies 2,3; Junior Play Prompter 3; Band 1,2,3,4; Band Secretary 4; Treasurer 3; Drum Majorette 4; Librarian 3.

LINDA CHRISTOPHER

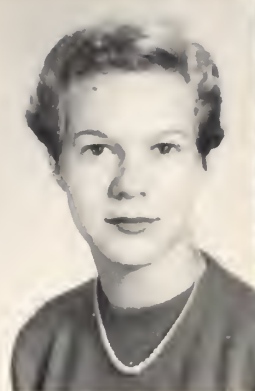
A.Y. 1,2,3,4; Beta Club 2,3,4; Secretary 4; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4; President 4; Student Council; Jr.-Sr. Waitress 2; Cheerleader 2; "Best Looking" 4; Homecoming Queen 4; Newspaper Staff 4; Marshal 3; Office Help 3,4; Jr. Play Prompter.

ANN CLINE

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; A.Y. 2, 3, 4; Beta Club 2, 3, 4; Junior Play 3.

ANNIE SUE CLINE

Basketball 1,2,3,4; Co-Captain 4; Class President 1; Class Secretary and Treasurer 3; Student Council 2,4; President 4; Annual Staff 2,3,4; Co-Editor 3; Editor 4; A.Y. 1,2,3,4; Secretary and Treasurer 3; Vice-President 4; Delegate to Carolina Conference 3; Homecoming Sponsor 2; Jr.-Sr. Waitress 2; Jr. Play 3; Chief Marshal 3; Powder Bowl Football Game 3; Winner of High School Popularity Contest 4; "Best All Around" 4; "Most Popular" 4; Beta Club 2,3,4; Vice-President 3; President 4; Monogram Club 3,4; Majorette 4.



LARRY CLINE

Basketball 1; Football 3,4; Baseball 3,4.

MARY LOUISE CLINE

A.Y. 1,2,3,4; Delegate to Carolina Conference 3,4; Beta Club 2, 3, 4; Office Help 3, 4; Junior Play 3; Queen's Attendant 4; Glee Club 3; Newspaper Staff 2,3,4; Make-Up-Editor 4; "Neatest" 4; Follies 3,4.

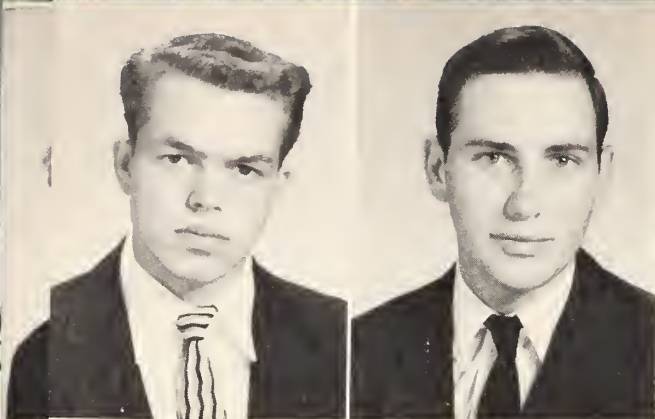


KATHRYN DUNCAN

A.Y. 2,3,4; 4-H Club 2,3,4.

PAWNEE EARLEY

"Cutest" 4; Sponsor 4; A.Y. 1,2.



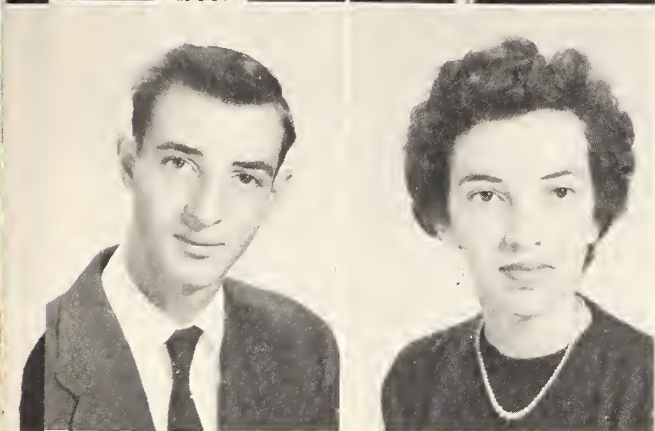
SENIORS

DICKIE FOSTER

Football 1,2,3,4; Captain 4; Shrine Bowl 4; All State Honorable Mention 4; Monogram Club 1,2,3,4; Class President 2; Basketball 1,2.

MELVIN FOXX

A.Y. 4; 4-H 4.



JIMMY FULBRIGHT

F.F.A. 1,3,4.

RUTH FULBRIGHT

Beta Club 2,3,4; Student Council 2,3,4; Office Worker 3, 4; Class Secretary and Treasurer 1; Class Vice-President 4; A.Y. 1,3,4; Jr. Play Usherette 3; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Jr.-Sr. Waitress 2; "Most Likely to Succeed" 4; "Most Dependable" 4.

ELLEN HALL

Glee Club 3; Basketball 1,2; Office Help 3,4; A.Y. 1,2,3,4; 4-H Club 1,2,3,4; County Winner 3,4.

GARY HENSON

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Co-Captain 4; Manager 1; Baseball 1,2,3,4; All Conference 3; A.Y. 2,3,4; F.F.A. 3,4; Jr.-Sr. Waiter 2; Monogram Club 1,2,3,4; Vice-President 3; President 4; Womanless Wedding 3; Most Outstanding Athlete 3; "Most Athletic" 4; "Best All Around" 4.

JOHN HILTON

Bus Driver 2,3; Basketball 1; Baseball 1; F.F.A. 1, 2,4; A.Y. 1; Homecoming Escort 2,4; Jr.-Sr. Waiter 2.

SHIRLEY HOLLAR

A.Y. 2,3,4; 4-H Club 3,4; Beta Club 3,4; Glee Club 3; Cheerleader 3,4; 4-H Club Reporter 4.



SENIORS

GENE HOOTEN

4-H Club 4; F.F.A. 4.

MARY FRANCES HOWELL

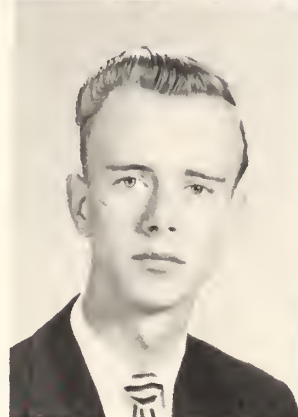
Glee Club 2, 3; Secretary and Treasurer 2; Beta Club 2,3,4; Junior Play 3; Homecoming Sponsor 4.

DANNY JAYNES

A.Y. 1, 2, 3, 4; Newspaper 2,3,4; J.V. Basketball 3; Band 2,3,4; Drum Sergeant 3; 1st Tuba 4; President 4; Marshal 3; Glee Club 3,4.

GRACE KIRBY

A.Y. 1,2,3,4; A.Y. Carolina Conference 1,3; Newspaper Staff 1,2,3,4; Social Editor 4; Beta Club 2,3,4; Glee Club 2,3; Junior Play 3; Office Help 4.

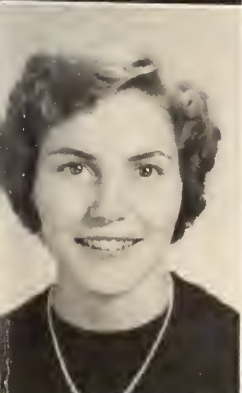


HELEN LEFEVERS

Sponsor 3; A.Y. 2; F.H.A. 1,2,4.

GLENN LINK

Basketball 1, 2; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club 2, 4; F.F.A. 1, 3; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4; Float Committee 1, 2; All Conference Baseball 3; A.Y. 4; All State Honorable Mention Football 4.



CAROLYN LOOPER

A.Y. 1,2,3,4; 4-H Club 1,2.

LOUISA LOOPER

Basketball 1,2,3,4; Monogram Club 3,4; 4-H Club 1, 2,3,4; Programs Committee Chairman 1; Secretary and Treasurer 2; Vice-President 3; President 4; 4-H State Week Delegate 2,3,4; Powder Puff Bowl 3; Newspaper Staff 3; Winner of School Essay Contest 3; American Legion Oratory Contest 3,4; Glee Club 3,4.



SENIORS

BETTY JANE MARSHALL

A.Y. 1,2,3,4; A.Y. Carolina Convention 3; Beta Club 2, 3, 4; Homecoming Sponsor 1, 2, 3; Majorette 4; Junior Play 3; Follies 3; Halloween Queen 1; Newspaper Editor 4; Jr.-Sr. Waitress 2; Jr.-Sr. Program 3; Class Vice-President 2; Student Council 3; Glee Club 3.

FRANCES MARSHALL

A.Y. 2,3,4; Beta Club 2,3,4; Annual Staff 2,3,4; Glee Club 3.

LANAE McCRARY

JOAN MELTON

A.Y. 1,2,3,4; State Officer 4; President 4; Delegate to A.Y. Carolina Convention 3,4; Delegate to National Conference 4; Beta Club 2,3,4; Follies 2,3,4; Monogram Club 2,3,4; Vice-President 4; Student Council 2,4; Cheerleader 2; Annual Staff 3,4; Office Worker 3,4; Glee Club 3; Junior Play 3; Sponsor 3,4; "Wittiest Girl" 4; Jr.-Sr. Floor Show 3.



KERMIT MINTON

Basketball 1; F.F.A. 1,2,3; Band 1.

RONNIE MONTIETH

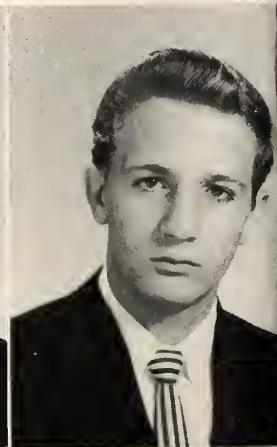
Monogram 2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Baseball 2,3,4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; A.Y. 1,2,3; F.F.A. 4; Honorable Mention All-State Football 3.

KIMO MULLINAX

Football 1,2,3,4; Monogram Club 2,3,4; "Most Dependable" 4.

RAYDÉE PARHAM

A.Y. 2,3,4; Baseball 2,3,4; Football 3; 4-H Club 4; Homecoming Escort 3; Queen's Escort 4; Junior Play Usher 3; "Best Looking Boy" 4.



SENIORS

EDWIN PAYNE

F.F.A. 2; A.Y. 4; Monogram Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Play 3; Homecoming Escort 1; Basketball 1,2,3,4; All Tournament Basketball 3; Football 2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; All Conference Baseball 3.

ROSALIE PAYNE

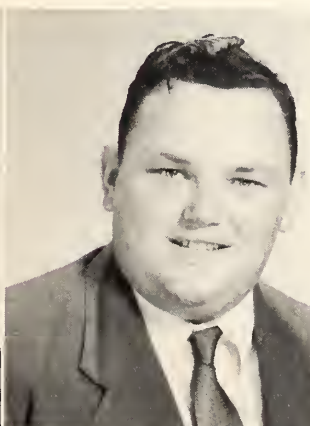
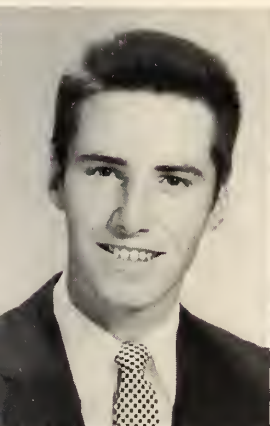
Beta Club 2,3,4.

REBECCA POOVEY

Basketball 1,2,3,4; Student Council 1,3,4; Secretary and Treasurer 3, 4; A.Y. 2, 3, 4; Vice-President 3; Beta Club 2, 3, 4; Newspaper Staff 3, 4; Typist 3,4; Homecoming Sponsor 3,4; Chief Marshal 3; Jr.-Sr. Program 3; Monogram Club 3,4; Powder Puff Football Game 3; "Most Athletic" 4; Glee Club 3.

CAROLYN REID

4-H Club 1,2; A.Y. 3,4; Beta Club 2,3,4.



DAN REID

F.F.A. 1,2,3; Bus Driver 4.

GLEN RICHARDS

A.Y. 2,3,4; Newspaper Staff 3; Marshal 3; F.F.A. 4; 4-H Club 4.



EZMA ROBERTS

Beta Club 3, 4; Glee Club 3; Office Help 3, 4; 4-H Club 1,3,4; Secretary and Treasurer of 4-H Club 3; A.Y. 2,3.

JERRY ROBERTS

A.Y. 1,2,3,4; Newspaper Staff 3,4; Business Manager and Treasurer 4; F.F.A. 2,4; Football 2,3; Marshal 3; Basketball 2; Baseball 2; 4-H Club 4; Junior Play 3; Shop 2, 4; Jr.-Sr. Floor Show 2, 3; Homecoming Escort 4; Glee Club 3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; President 3; Section Leader 1,2,3; Shrine Bowl Parade 1; District Contest 1,2; "Wittiest Boy" 4.

SENIORS

BEULAH SHARPE

NORMAN SCHRONCE

F.F.A. 1,2,3; 4-H Club 3,4; A.Y. 4; Substitute Bus Driver 2,3; Bus Driver 4; "Wittiest" 4.

GARLAND SHOOK

A.Y. 2,3,4; Homecoming Escort 3,4; Junior Play 3; Marshal 3; "Neatest Boy" 4.

BENNY SIGMON

Football 3; Homecoming Escort 3; A.Y. 1,2,3,4.

BUTCH SIMMONS

A.Y. 4; Football 1,3,4; Monogram Club 2,3,4; Acting Secretary and Treasurer 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Shrine Bowl Parade 1; District Contest 1, 2; Womanless Wedding 3; Junior Play 3.

OLIN SMITH

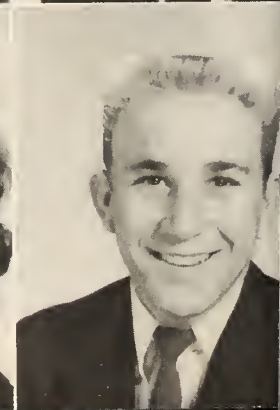
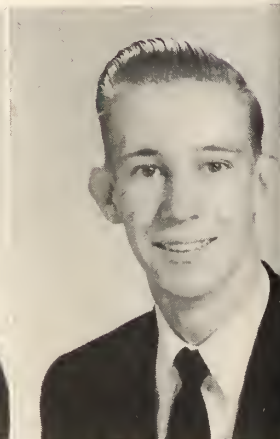
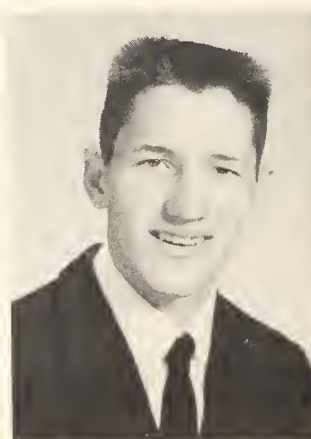
F.F.A. 2,3,4; A.Y. 1,2,3; Homecoming Escort 4.

BETTY JEAN SPICER

Student Council 1,2,3,4; Vice-President 3; A.Y. 2,3, 4; Beta Club 2,3,4; Newspaper Staff 1,2,3,4; Typist 3,4; Delegate to Student Council Convention 1; Junior Class President; Homecoming Sponsor 3; Queen's Attendant 4; Basketball 2,3,4; Substitute Marshal 3; Junior Play Usherette 3; Fashion Follies 2; Powder Bowl Football Game 3.

CARROLL SUDDRETH

Basketball 1,2,3,4; Football 3,4; F.F.A. 3,4; A.Y. 2, 3, 4; Monogram Club 3, 4; Baseball 4; Womanless Wedding 3.



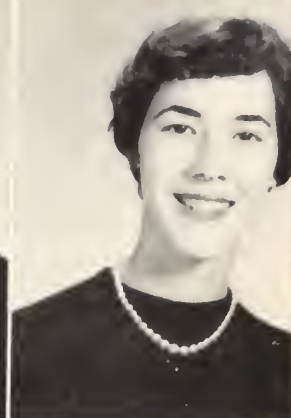
SENIORS

ANNETTA TOWNSEND

Glee Club 3.

BLEND A TRIPLETTE

A.Y. 1,2; Student Council 1,2; Homecoming Sponsor 1,2,4; Beta Club 2,4; Treasurer 4; Jr.-Sr. Waitress 2; Annual Staff 2,4; Canteen Worker 2.

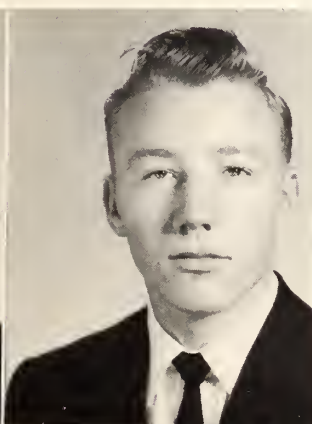


LEO TUCKER

Glee Club 3,4; Junior Play 3.

GWENDOLYN WARLICK

A.Y. 2; Junior Play 3.

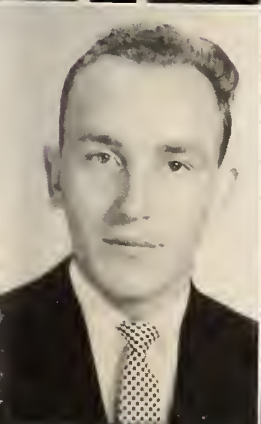


R. C. WATTS

Student Council 1; A.Y. 3,4; F.F.A. 3; Homecoming Escort 4; Baseball 2; 4-H Club 4; "Cutest Boy" 4.

JOHN LESTER WEAVER

A.Y. 2,4; Stage Manager Junior Play 3.

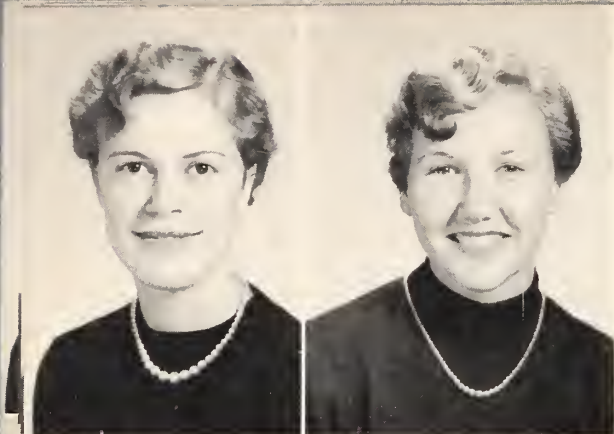


PAUL WEAVER

F.F.A. 4; A.Y. 4; Basketball 3,4.

ROBERT WILLIAMS

Basketball 1,2,3,4; Football 4; A.Y. 3,4; F.F.A. 4; 4-H Club 3.



SENIORS

MARGARET WOODRUFF

SYLVIA YOUNT

Basketball 1,2,3,4; Co-Captain 4; Monogram Club 3,4; Beta Club 2,3,4; Powder Puff Football Game 2.

MARSHALS



Garland Shook, Rebecca Poovey, Glen Richards, Linda Christopher, Jerry Roberts, Annie Sue Cline, Johnny Canupp.



Juniors

JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS

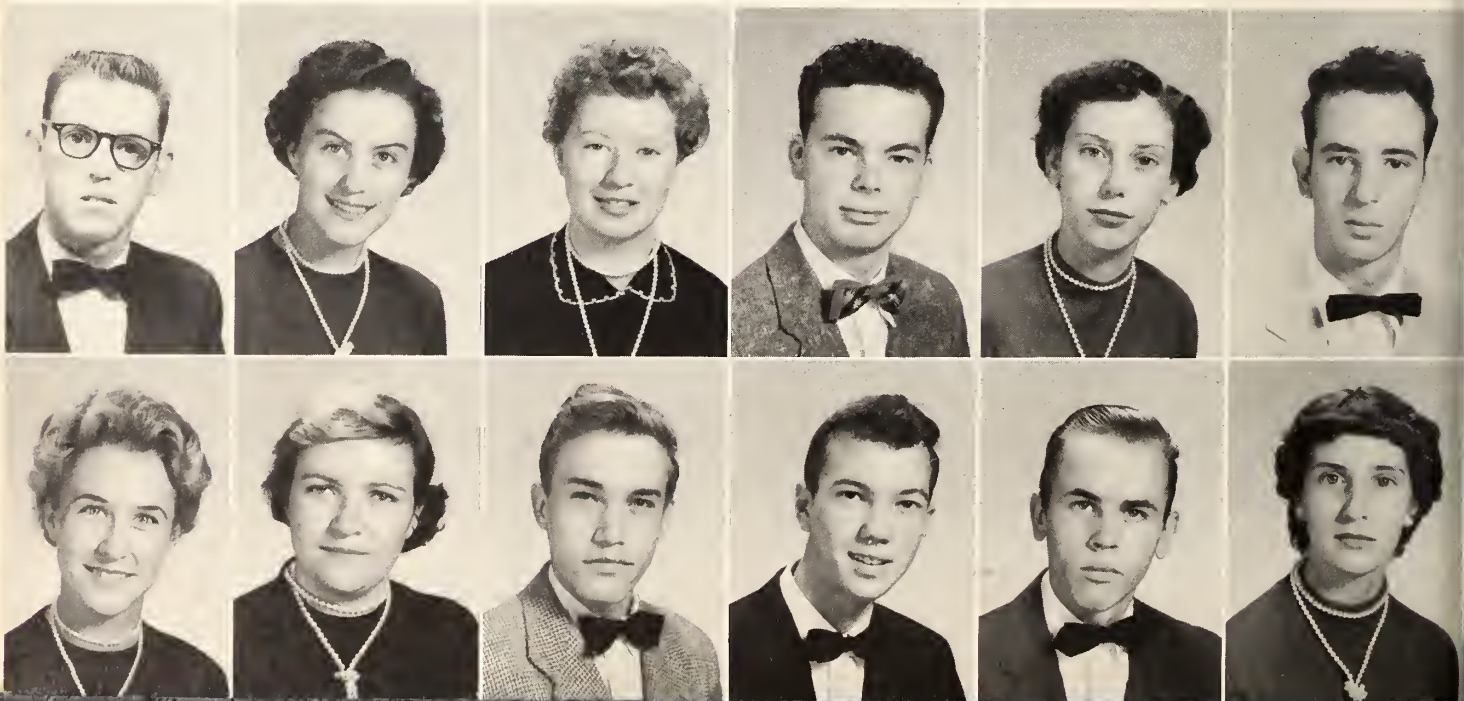
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Libby Kirby Vice-President
Linda Hice . . . Secretary and Treasurer

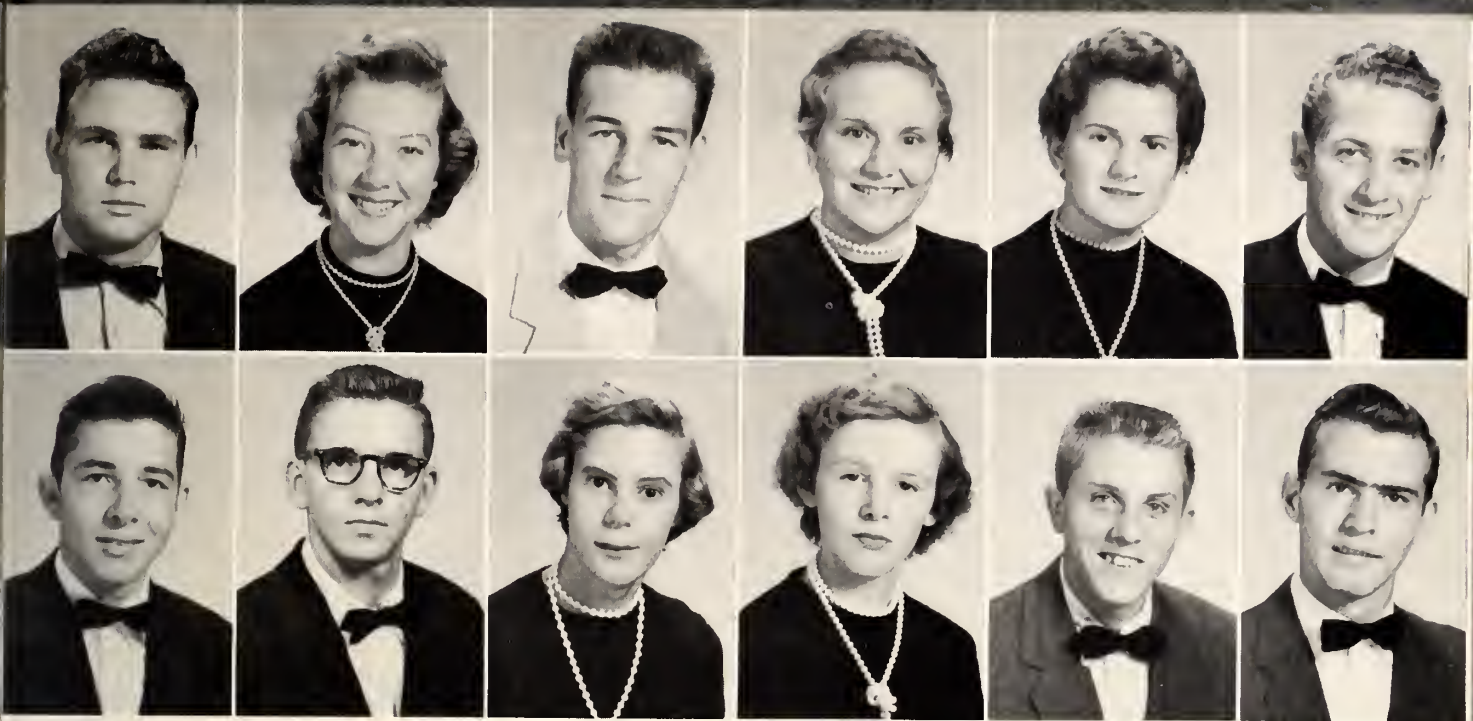


Annie Annas	Helen Baker	Doris Beal	Bernice Beane	Martha Bost	Pat Brady
Dorothy Bumgarner	Marcia Bumgarner	Ann Burns	Lynn Cagle	Aaron Compton	Carolyn Frye Davis

JUNIORS

Jerry Deal	Barbara Elmore	Doris Elrod	Jerry Foster	Wilma Foxx	Paul Fulbright
Betty Jean Goodwin	Mercedes Griffiee	Wayne Hamby	Kenneth Hatch	Dean Hefner	Jean Hentschel





George Herman

Linda Hice

Max Hilton

Dorothy Holmes

Carol Deane Hollar

Fred Johnson

Wayne Johnson

Jimmy Keller

Mildred Kent

Susan Kincaid

Dean Kirby

Jerry Kirby

JUNIORS

Mary Elizabeth Kirby	Carroll Kiziah	Alice Lackey	Vivian Lefevers	Wanda Looper	Jean Milstead
Gene Mitchem	Becky Moffitt	Sara Moore	Betty Ann Mull	Cecil Munday	Theresa Munday





Bruce Oxford

Rhonnie Parris

Ned Payne

Barbara Pipes

Gertrude Roberts

Joyce Sherrill

Mary Sigmon

Tommy Simmons

Mary Starnes

Mildred Starnes

Norma Starnes

Fred Teague

JUNIORS

Roland Travis

Denzel Walker

Wade Teague

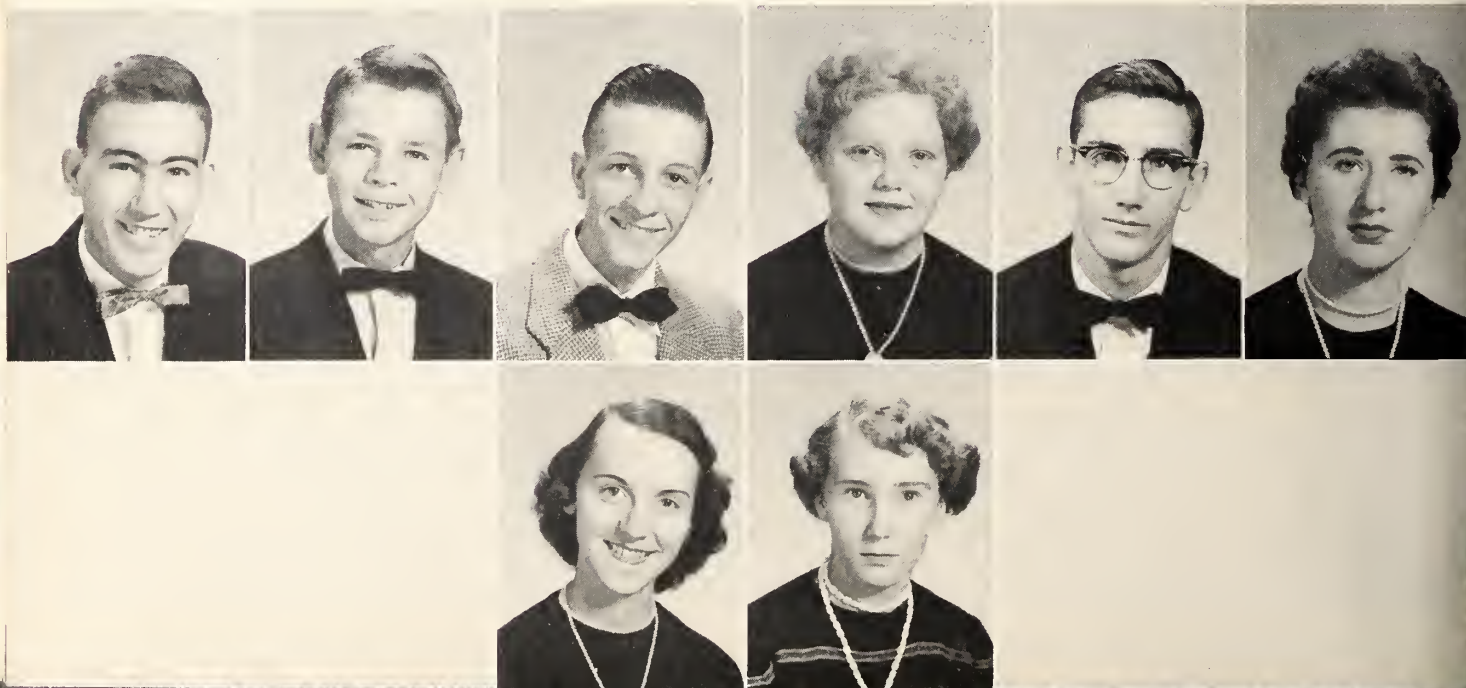
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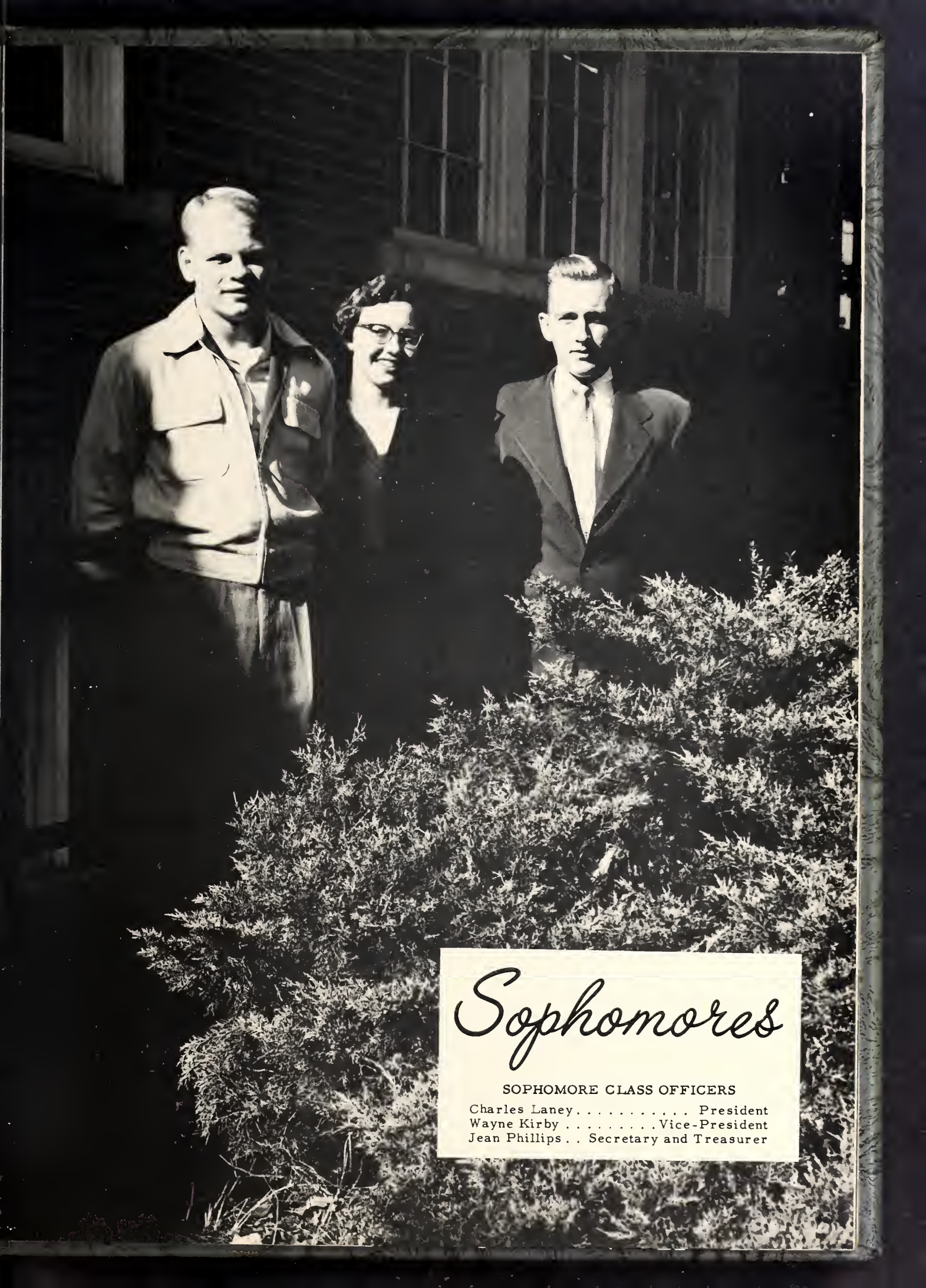
Mary Ann Williams

Betty Yount

Rex Watson

Carolyn Wilkey





Sophomores

SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS

Charles Laney President
Wayne Kirby Vice-President
Jean Phillips Secretary and Treasurer

SOPHOMORES

Johnny Anderson
Betty Annas
Grady Annas
Marcella Annas

Michael Baxter
Wayne Beal
Cloyd Benfield
Darryl Blackwelder

Caryl Blair
Mary Frances Bolick
Carolyn Bowman
Margaret Brittain

Mary Bergin
Mary Ann Calloway
Carl Cannon
Sarah Canupp

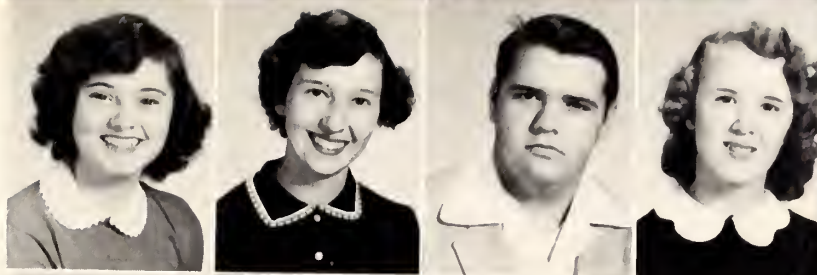
Phyllise Carter
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Jo Ann Childers
Jimmy Clark

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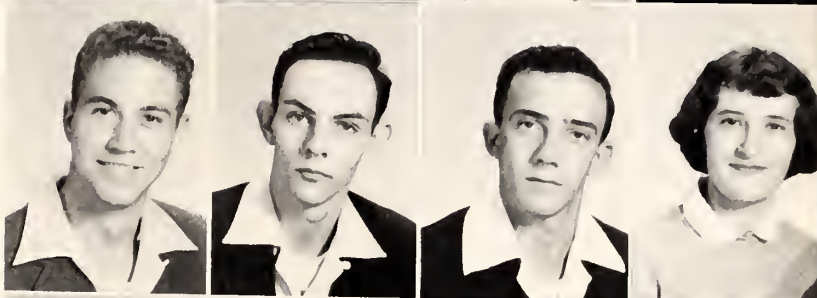
Sandra Curtis
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Dale Estes
Johnny Estes

SOPHOMORES

Lucille Fisher
Donna Fulbright
Tommy Gilbert
Susan Gilliland



Willie Griffin
Bob Haas
Cloyd Haas
Patsy Hall



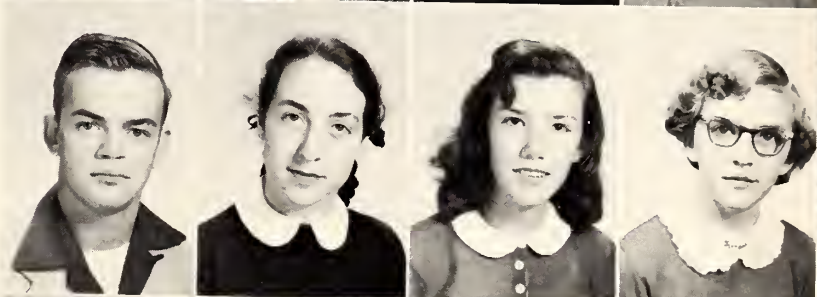
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Ralph Hamby
Patsy Hartly



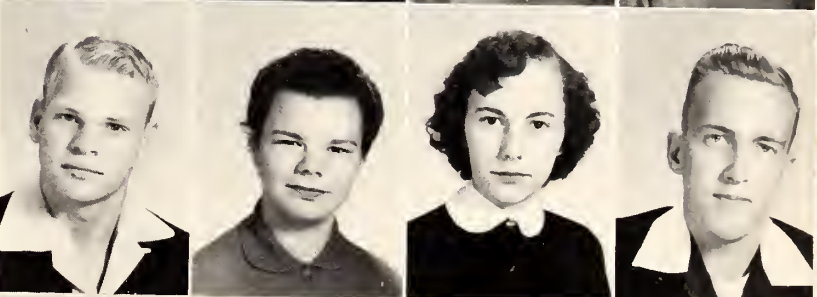
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Ralph Herman
Betty Holman
Joyce Isham



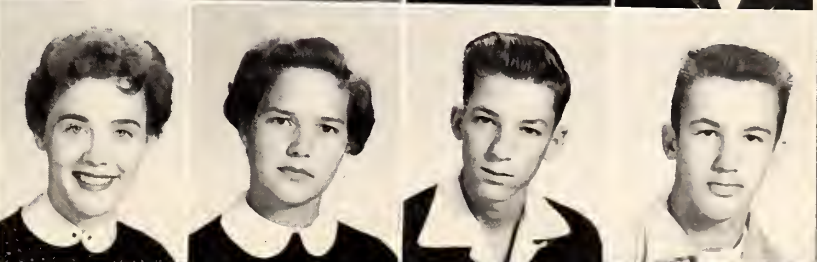
Herbert Jones
Jane Killian
Brenda Kay Kirby
Brenda Mae Kirby



Wayne Kirby
Barbara Lail
Betty Jo Lail
Charles Laney



Gail Lefevers
Linda Lunsford
Jerry Mathis
Larry Mackie



SOPHOMORES

Jerry Miller
Terry Miller
Billy Joe Mitchem
Mary Moore

George Mullen
Harold Munday
Darrell Parham
Gail Parham

Junior Phillips
Jean Phillips
Marietta Pope
Melba Pope

Chettie Sue Powell
G. P. Price
Faye Reid
Gwyn Reid

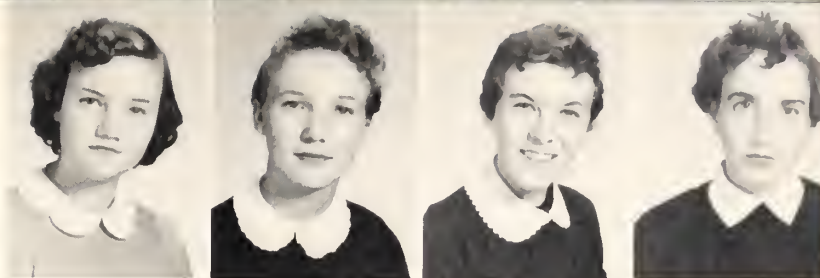
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Cary Ross
Pat Schell
Rebecca Short

Steve Simmons
Johnny Starnes
Wayne Starnes
Benny Teague

Glenda Teague
Marietta Teague
Patty Ann Teague
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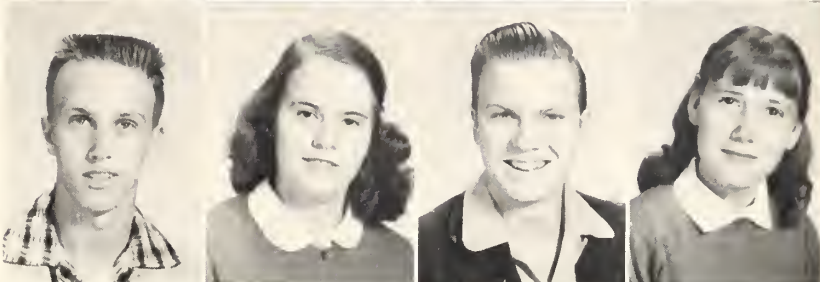
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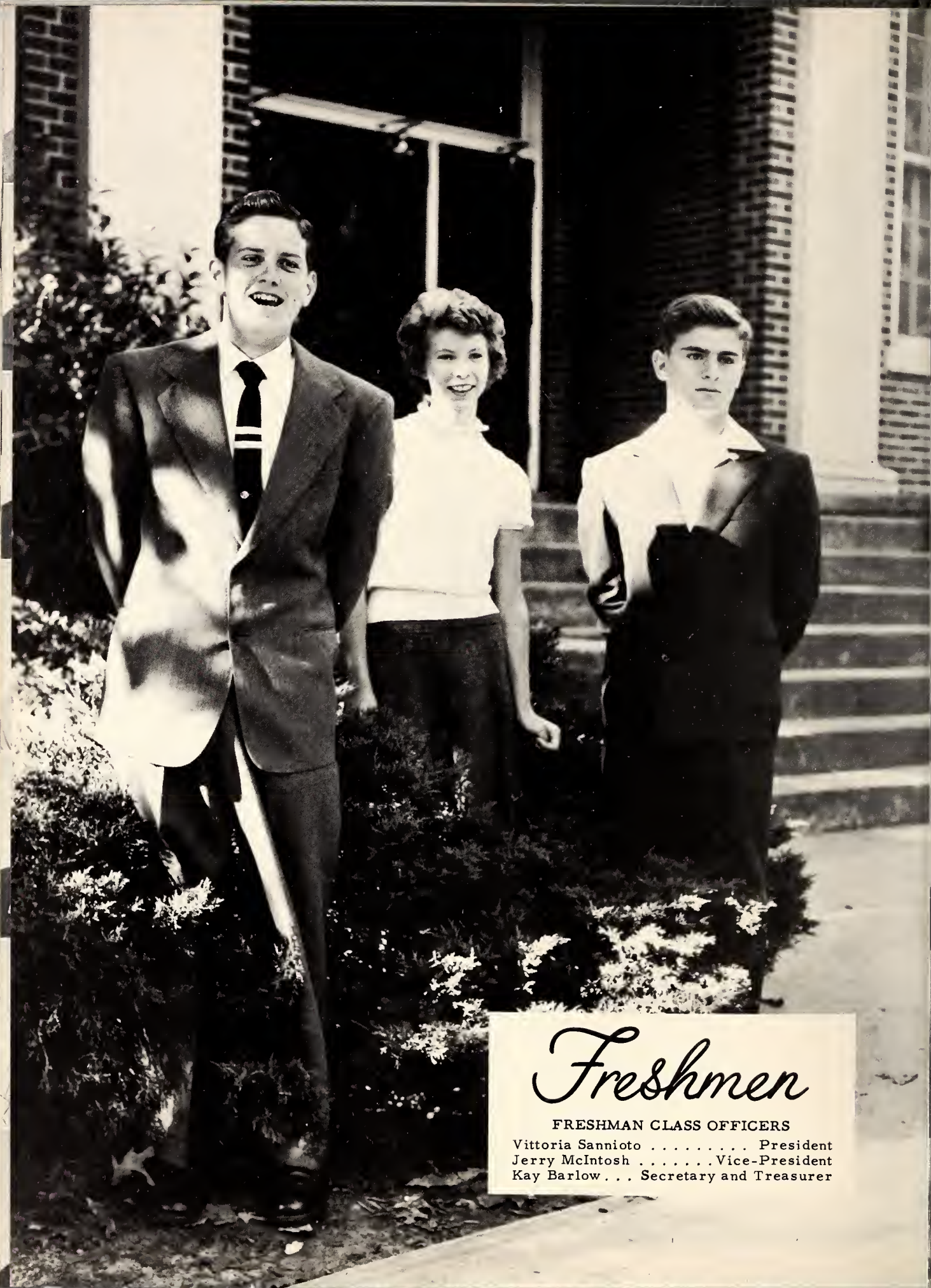
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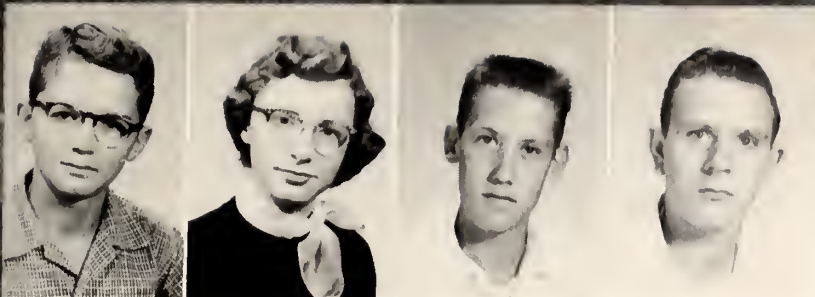
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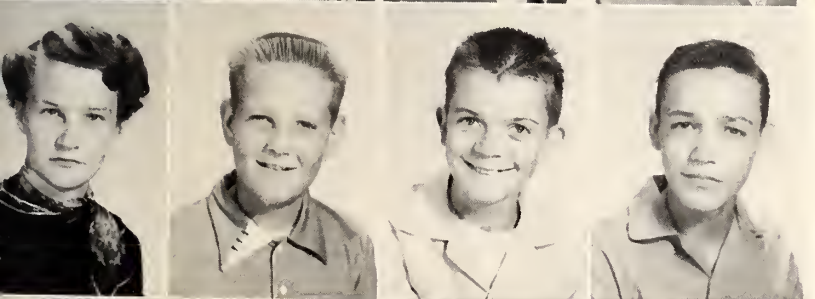
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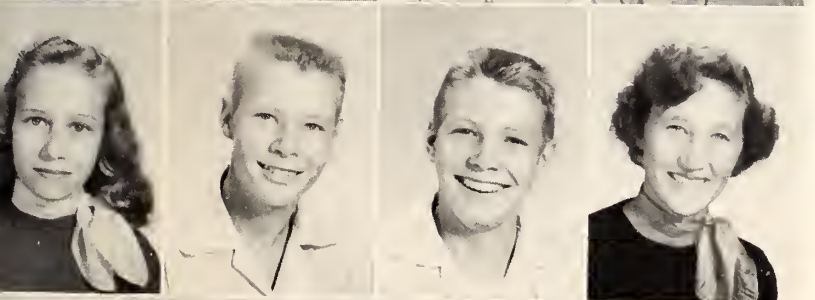
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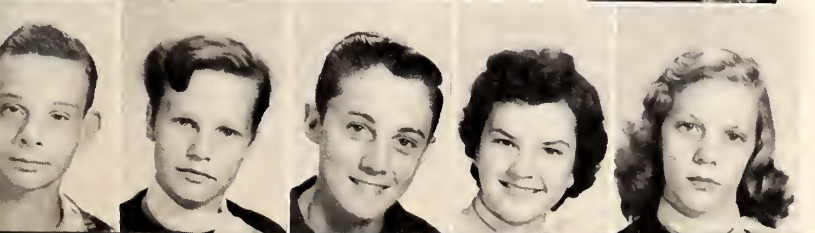
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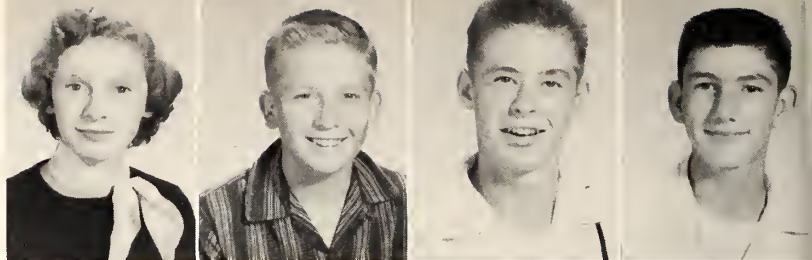
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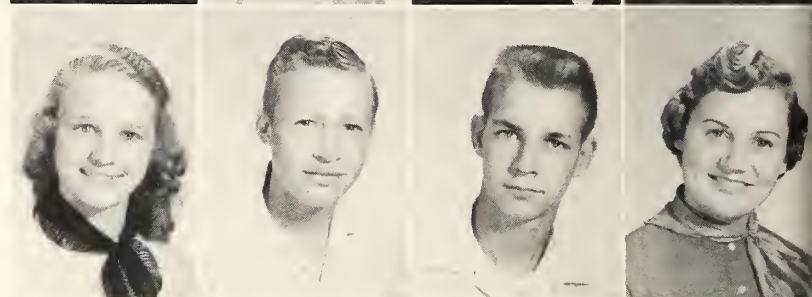
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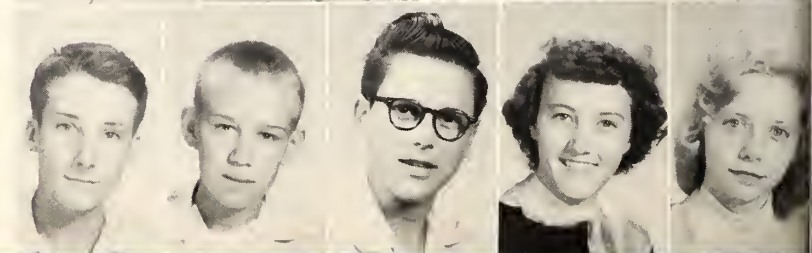
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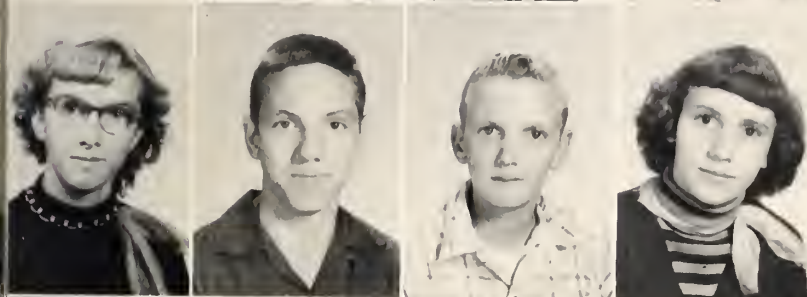
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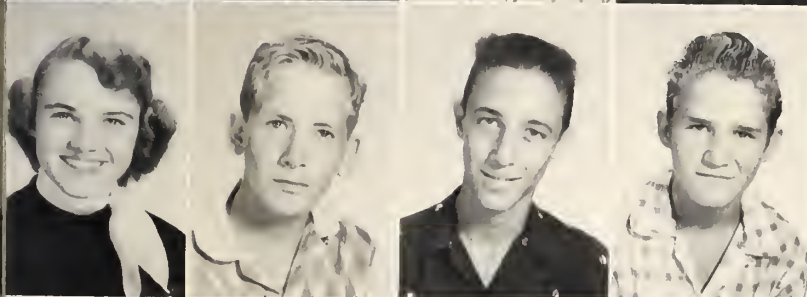


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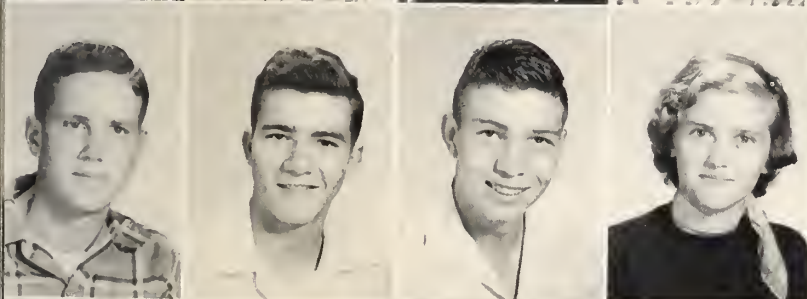
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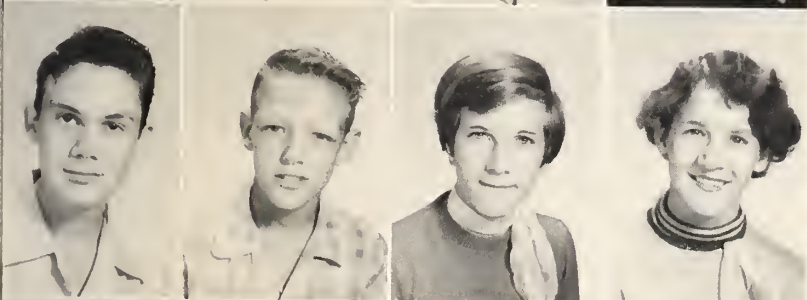
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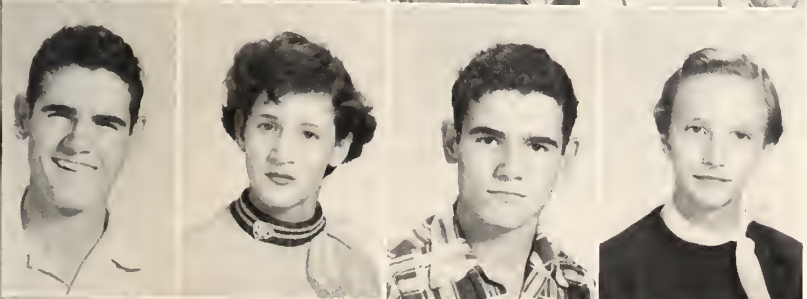
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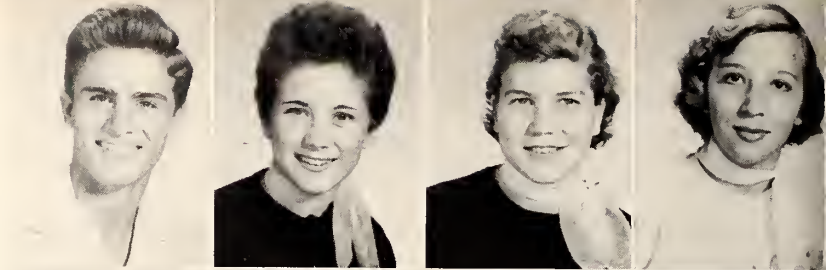
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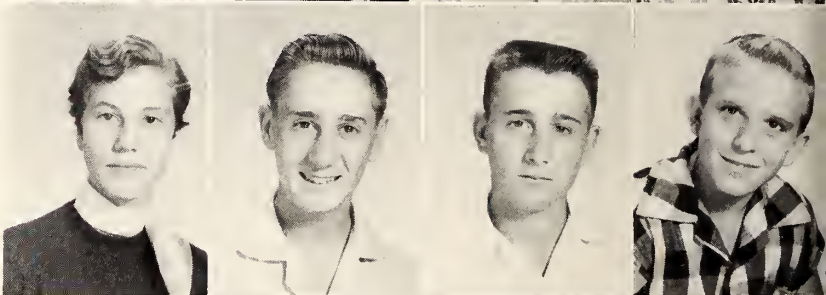
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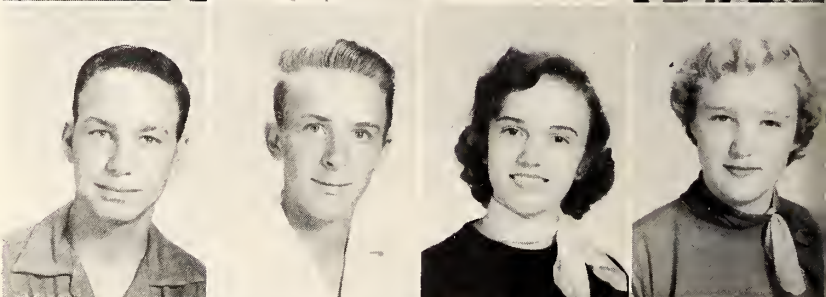
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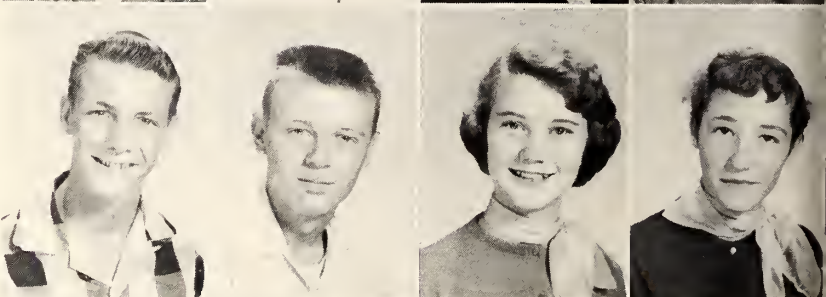
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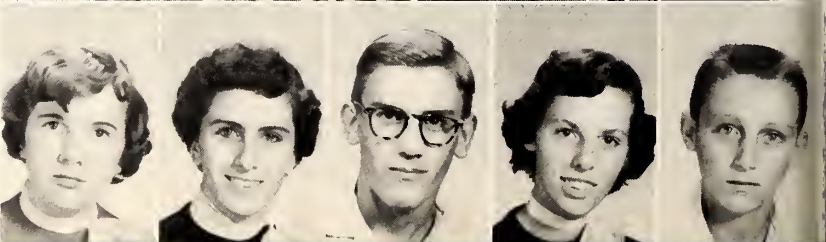
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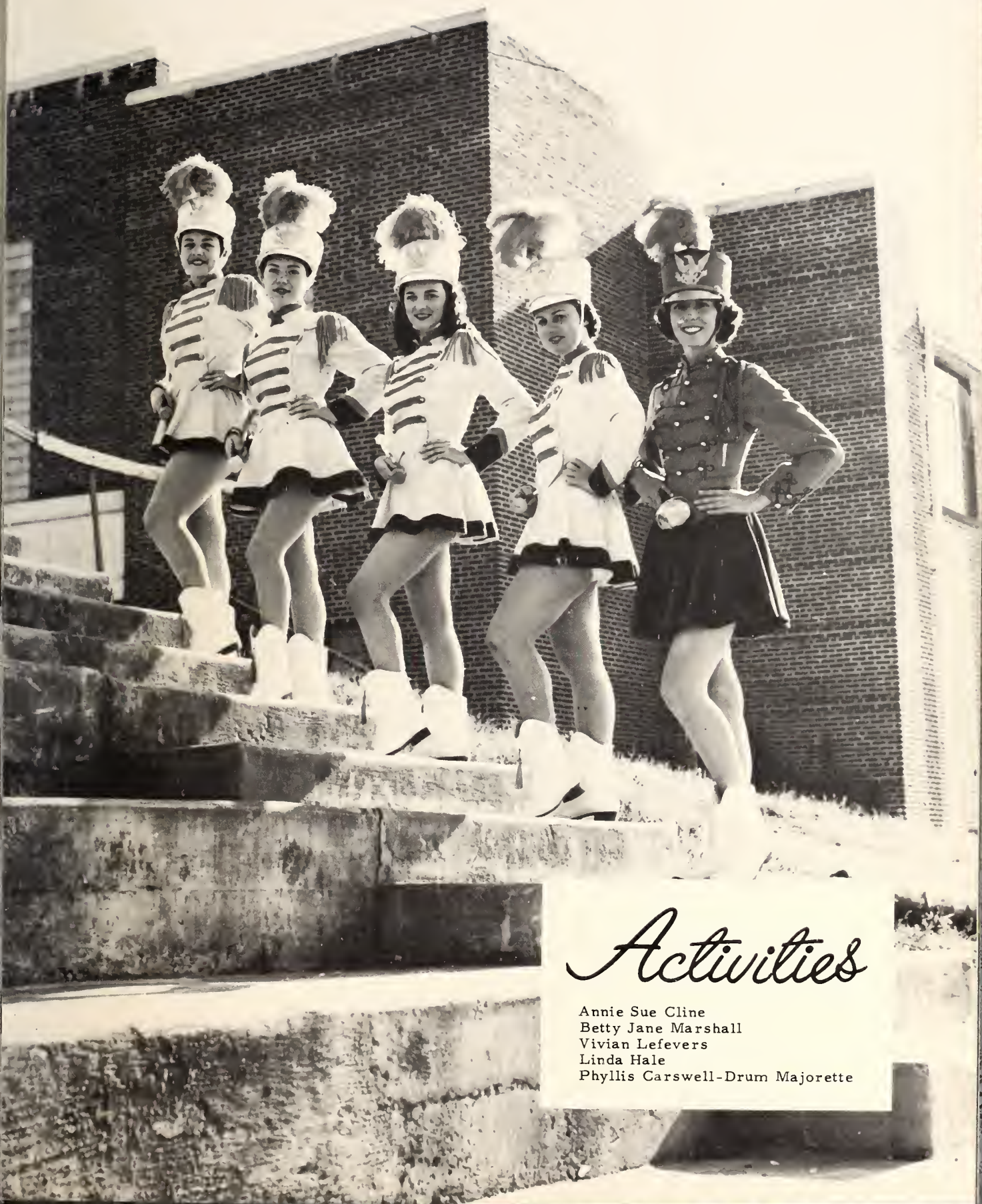


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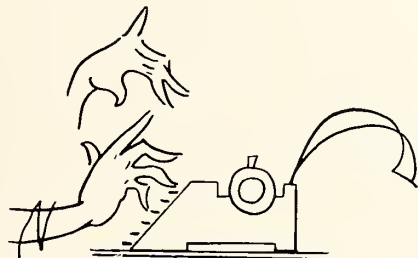
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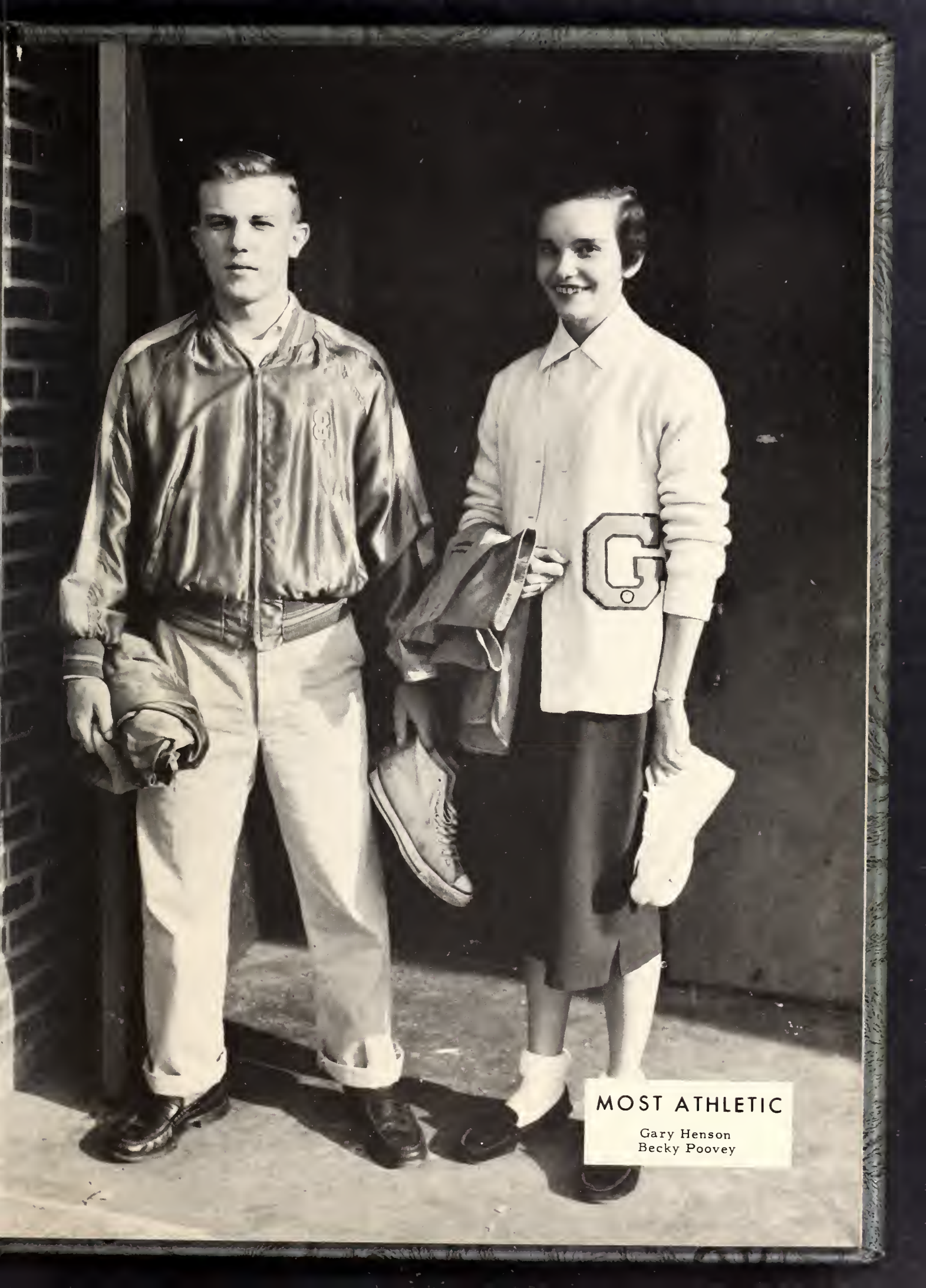
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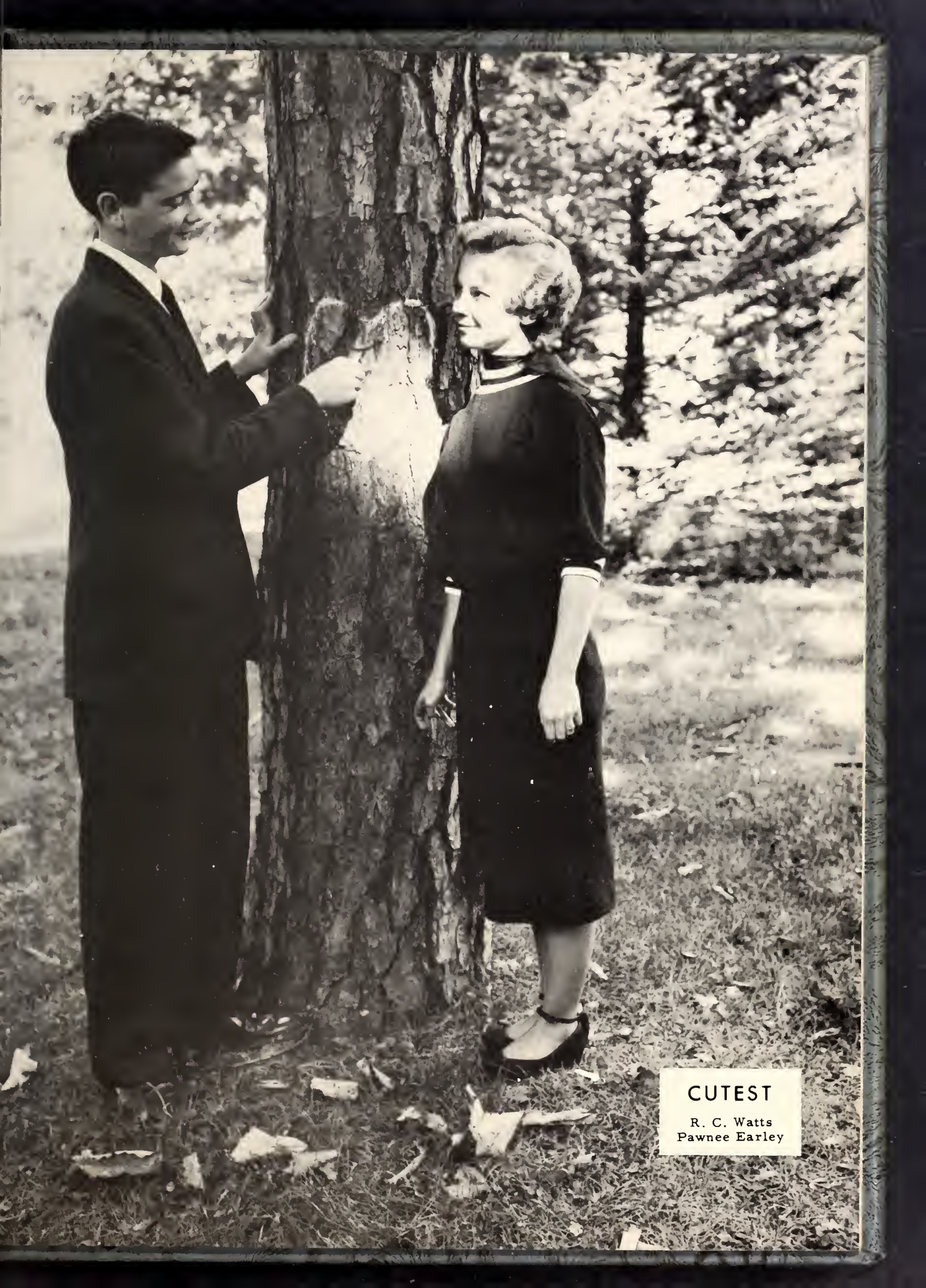
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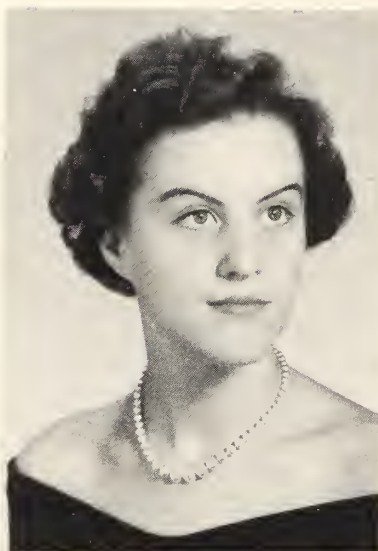


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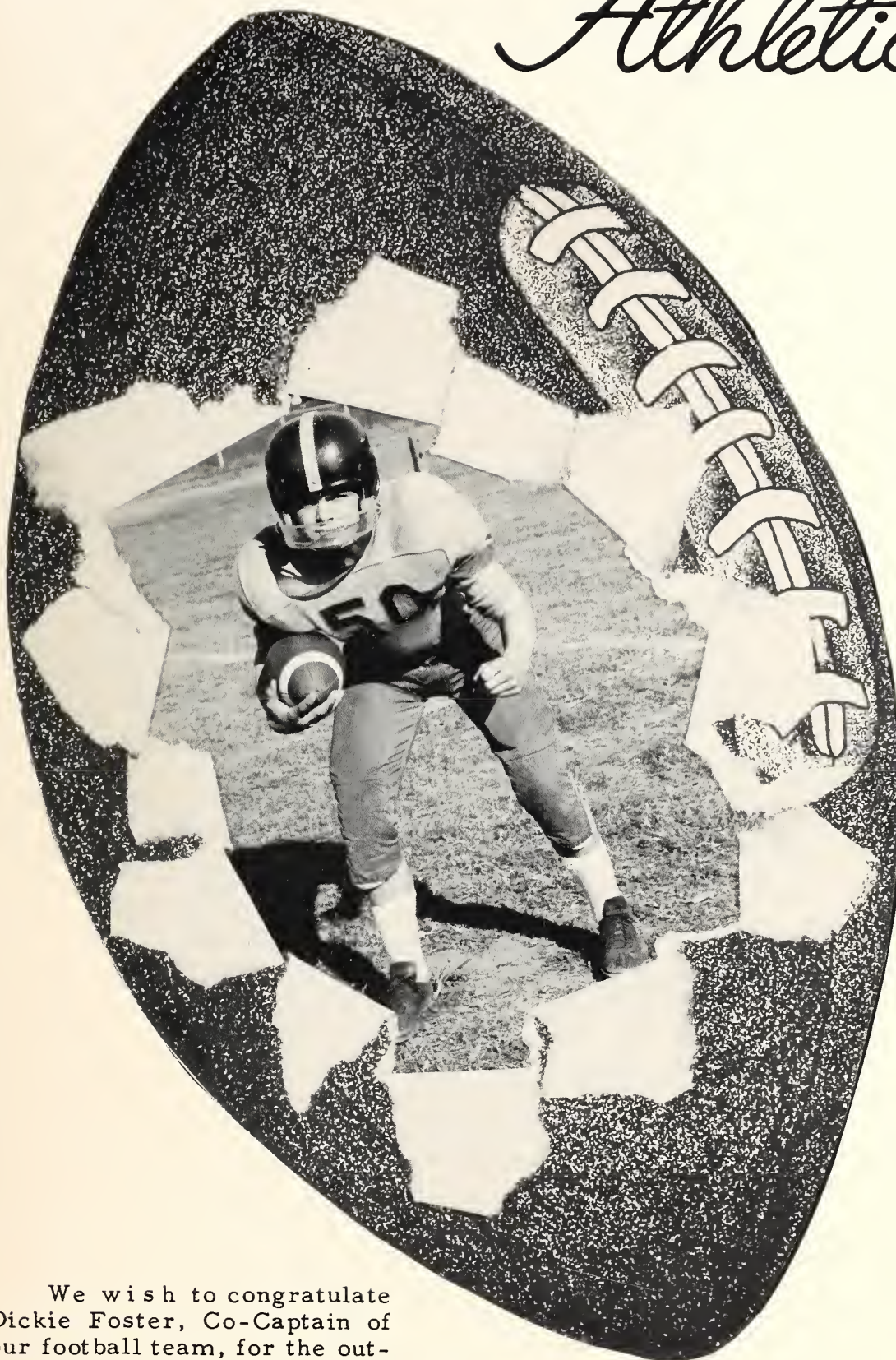
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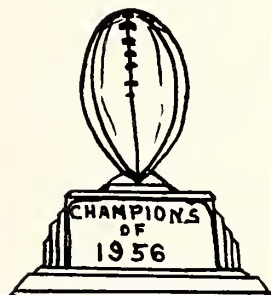




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Granite Falls 65	Bessemer City	0
Granite Falls 14	Boone	7
Granite Falls 45	Rutherfordton-Spindale	13
Granite Falls 26	Maiden	6
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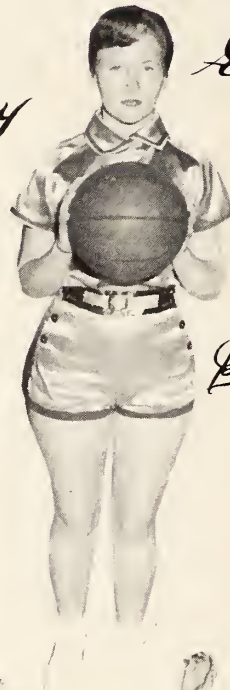
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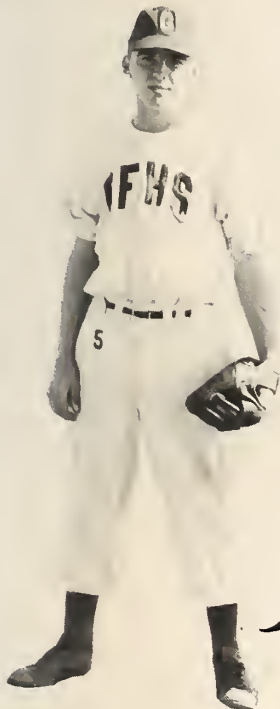
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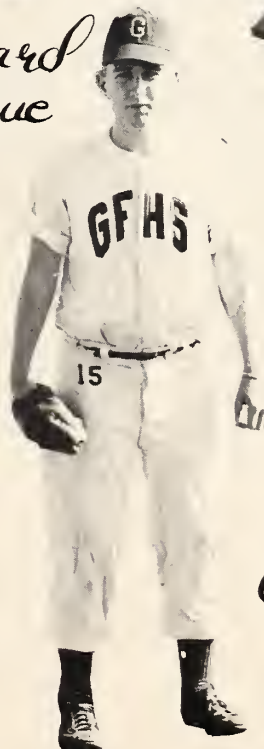
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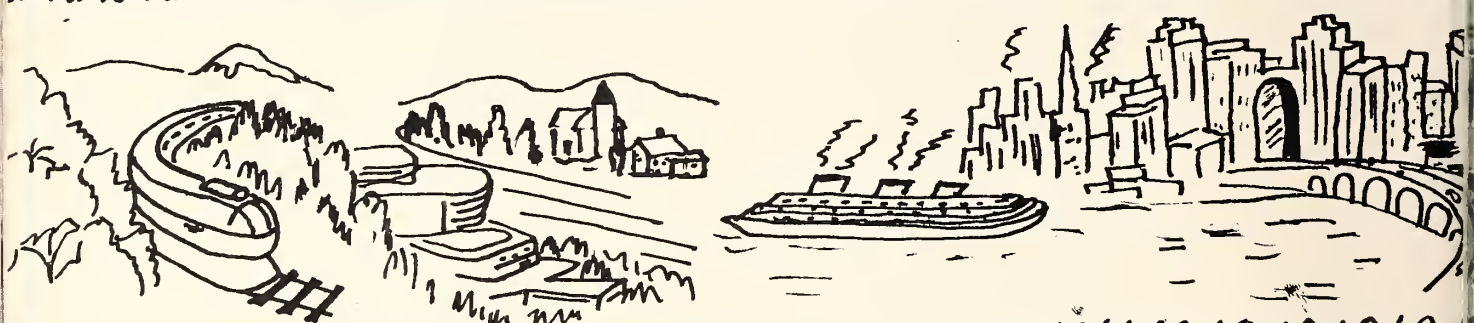
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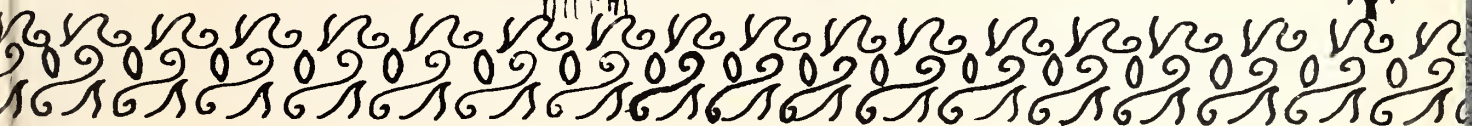
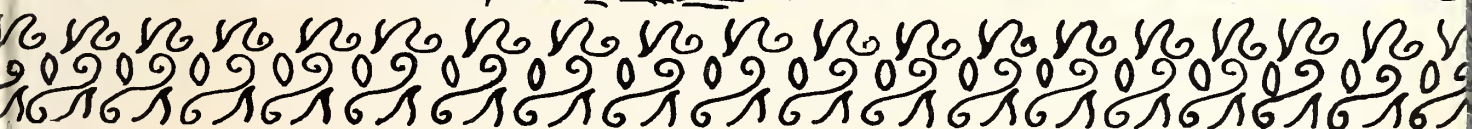
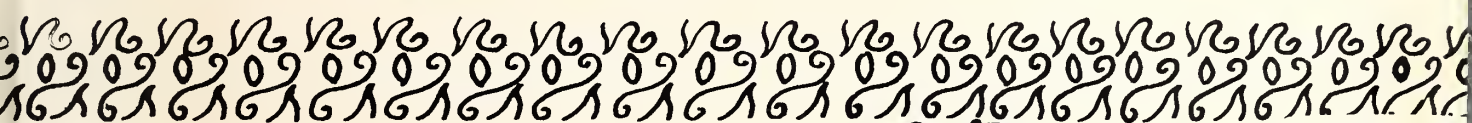
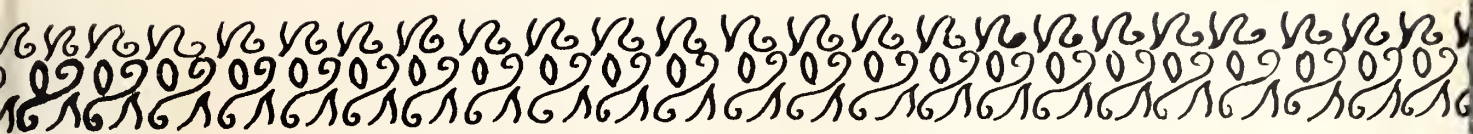
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